



Re: Fw: [NEPA Gas Action Planning] emissions making people sick from the gas wel...

Kurt Elsner to: Jennie Saxe

Cc: Bernie Turlinski, Chris Pilla, dandrea.michael, Elsner.Kurt, Patrick Egan, schaffer.joan

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Jennie:

I looked through my records and here is what took place:

Nature of Complaint: Excess emission/odors from condensate tanks on Carter Rod. Making neighbors sick with nosebleeds and headaches and breathing problems. Spoke to the person representing the neighbors on 4/12/11 (Vera Scroggins) and gave her the tip and complaint person for PADEP's NE Regional Office. On 4/13/11, I forwarded the complaint to the NE Regional Office and asked them to get back to me on what they know about this situation and keep me updated.

I will forward you what the NE Regional Office provided my on 4/18/11 in response to my forwarded email.

Finally, I have not heard from Vera Scroggins since our 4/12/11 conversation.

Kurt

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Jennie Saxe to: Bernie Turlinski, Elsner.Kurt, Chris Pilla

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Cc: Patrick Egan, schaffer.joan, dandrea.michael

Bernie, Kurt, and Chris -

I was just reviewing my emails and found this one...were you able to follow up?

This caught my attention, as HSCD and others were out meeting with this group of citizens on a variety of natural gas extraction concerns (meeting was initiated in response to a spill of returned drilling mud for a pipeline project).

Any info on how this complaint was addressed or what information was gathered would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks!
Jennie

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Date: 04/07/2011 08:49 AM
Subject: Re: Fw: [NEPA Gas Action Planning] emissions making people sick from the gas wel...

Bernie,

Can Kurt look into this?

Thanks
Chris

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Date: 04/07/2011 07:52 AM
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Please see email below with a complaint about emissions that apparently have been reported to PADEP with no resolution. Citizens say that they contacted EPA (no specifics about who), but got no response. Can you look into this? Contacts for citizens are contained in email.

A little background: these citizens are part of group that have been pushing for a "Susquehanna River Forum" to address concerns about impacts on the river from fracking/extraction activities. Region III recently hosted a forum on the Delaware River that focused on protection of the resource as a drinking water resource and among other things, fracking was discussed. This group is pushing for a similar forum for the Susquehanna. They are writing and calling the Administrator and the RA on an on-going basis. We may consider hosting a forum, but it would/should focus on issues beyond fracking.

Thanks.

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----- Message from [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy] on Wed, 6 Apr 2011 14:52:53 -0400 -----
<NEPA Gas Action planning list <planning@nepagasaction.org :To
,<reporter: Laura Legere" <llegere@timeshamrock.com>, "reporter: Steve Mocarsky" <smocarsky@timesleader.com"
<reporter: marie claytor" <mclaytor@wicz.com>, times leader reporter <mguydish@timesleader.com" :cc
Re: [NEPA Gas Action Planning] emissions making people sick from the gas well site in Dimock, Carter Road :Subject
:

.I contacted ~8 different EPA depts yesterday, no reply from any
.Videos were included in the emails

:wrote <veraduerga@yahoo.com> On Wed, Apr 6, 2011 at 2:44 PM, Vera Scroggins
,hi, all

the emissions from the condensate tanks next to the [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy]
on Carter Road in Dimock
--making them sick
--nosebleeds and headaches and breathing problems

;this is running now, emitting during the night

--we have infared photos of the emissions

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--for more info

;we have complained to the DEP

;this has been going on for many months, year

.any help with media investigation of this appreciated

Vera Scroggins
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.Susquehanna County, Pa
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9685 237 607

Planning & strategy list for NEPA Gas Action
Planning@nepagasaction.org To send email to everyone, use
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